IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:	David J. Lentz et al.	
Serial No:	10/774,665) Art Unit) 3732
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For:	CATHETER ARTICULATION SEGMENT WITH ALTERNATING CUTS))
Examiner:	Cris Loiren Rodriguez))
Customer No:	23862))
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

EFS Web Filing Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 27, 2006, now having a period for response set to expire on April 27, 2007 under the Petition for an Extension of Time submitted herewith, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows: